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in the concentration camp in OSLOVANY.
Detainees had to work three shifts in the coal mines of
VACLAV NOSEK, where they were given the most dangerous work.
One shift lasted twelve hours. Food was very poor, consisting
only of potatoes and cabbage. After their working hours
detainees had to attend political instruction courses. A
2d Lt HAITVIGEN delivered Marxist lectures.

The political Secret State Police (STB) conducted daily
interrogations in the camp, often in the presence of Maj
GRYC (from DEDICE, near VYSLOV) of the provincial command
in BRUNN. Maj GRYC is CO of the concentration camps in
Moravia. Many detainees were so badly injured during the
interrogations that they had to be hospitalized. As the
result of brutal treatment, heavy work and poor food the
death-rate was excessively high.

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